

# An Army at War

## **RELEVANT AND READY**



Meeting Our  
National Security Challenges ...  
Now and in the Future

# Core Competencies

- Provide land power capabilities to the combatant commander and the Joint Team
- Train and equip Soldiers and grow leaders



**“Celebrating the Soldier”**

# Critical Objectives

"We are a Nation at War"



**The strategic context  
has changed significantly.  
We must:**

- Win the Global War on Terror
- Support Ongoing Commitments
- Be Ready for New Missions

**Therefore, the Army must Remain:**

**Relevant & Ready**

**Joint and Expeditionary Mindset  
Campaign-Quality Capabilities**

# Focus Areas

## **Train and Equip Soldiers and Grow Leaders**

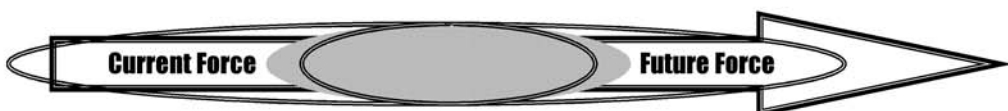
Develop Soldiers with Warrior Ethos  
Prepare Future Generations of Senior Leaders (Bench)  
Examine Army Aviation Role on the Joint Battlefield  
Train/Educate Army Members of the Joint Team  
Focus Training (Context, Joint, Expeditionary)

## **Provide Relevant and Ready Land Power**

Integrate and Expedite Current to Future Force  
Leverage/Enable Interdependent, Network-Centric Warfare  
Create Modular, Capabilities-Based Unit Designs  
Develop a Joint and Expeditionary Mindset  
Align AC/RC within the Current Security Context  
Ensure Unit Stability, Continuity and Predictability

## **Enable the Force**

Enhance Installation Ability to Project Power and  
Support Families  
Redesign Resource Processes to be Flexible, Responsive  
and Timely  
Clarify Authorities, Responsibilities and Accountability  
Communicate the Army Story



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